

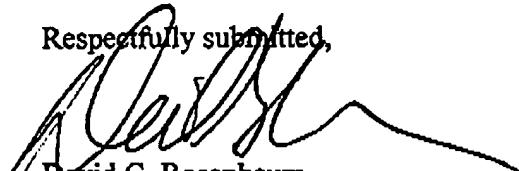
**Conclusion**

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the Examiner's Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and, in particular, the notification of the informalities with regard to Claim 10. Claim 10 has been re-written in conformity with 37 C.F.R. §121, to indicate the deletions by strike-through and the insertions by underlining. Significantly, Claim 10 has been amended and designated as "Currently Amended" rather than as an entirely new claim.

Applicant repeats and reincorporates each Remark and argument made in Applicant's prior response to the Office Action of June 14, 2004.

No fee is believed due with this response, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Rosenbaum & Associates, P.C. deposit account No. 18-2000.

Applicant believes all requirements have been met. Should the Examiner require any further information or wish to discuss any aspect of this response, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
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